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TAGS CASC (CONDARAS, GEORGE)

SUBJ: CASC: PROTECTION OF PROPERTY (GEORGE CONDARAS)

REF MOGADISCIO 1784 AND ATHENS 749

1. WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY OWNER OF LORD BYRON THAT  
AFTER EIGHT MONTHS ENFORCED STAY AT BERBERA CREW  
RELEASED FIRST WEEK OF JUNE, WITH EXCEPTION CAPTAIN.  
OFFICERS AND CREW ARRIVED ATHENS JUNE 12/13.

2. BRITISH UNDERWRITERS HAVE INTERPRETED SEIZURE OF  
LORD BYRON AS POLITICAL ACT, AND UNDER WAR CLAUSE HAVE  
COMPENSATED AMERICAN OWNER FOR LOSS OF VESSEL, WITH  
OPTION TO PURCHASE SHOULD GOS EVENTUALLY RELEASE VESSEL.

3. ACCORDING TO OWNER THE SHIP'S CAPTAIN REMAINS  
FORMALLY DETAINED AT BERBERA, BUT PERMITTED TO RESIDE  
AT HOTEL.  
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